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TO : Chief, Industrial Division

DATE: 1 June 1959

FROM : Chief, Shipbuilding Branch

SUBJECT: I/SH Branch Report for May 1959.

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1. The Status of Branch Projects is as follows:

✓ (a) Project 35.1559

USSR Shipbuilding Costs

Responsible Analyst: 25X1A9a

Published in May 1959.

✓ (b) Project 35.1933

USSR Shipbuilding Industry in Economic Region III

Responsible Analysts: 25X1A9a

Due Date to St/PR: 2 June 1959

No work has been done on this project in recent months. A change in the due date to 1 April 1960 was proposed in the Branch Program for FY 1960.

✓ (c) Project 35.2090

Methodology for Capability Estimates

Responsible Analysts: 25X1A9a

Due Date to St/PR: 1 May 1959

Work continues on this project. Completion is expected in June 1959.

✓ (d) Project 35.2394

Ruble Cost Estimate of USSR "W" Class Submarine

Responsible Analyst: 25X1A9a

Work continues on this project.

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✓ (e) Project 35.2486

Construction and Imports of Fish Factory Trawlers
for the Soviet Fishing Fleet.

Responsible Analyst: [REDACTED] 25X1A9a

Due Date: 30 April 1959

Published in May 1959.

✓ (f) Project 35.2459

Estimates of Ship Construction in the USSR

Responsible Analyst: [REDACTED] 25X1A9a

Due Date to St/PR: 30 June 1959

Coordination of estimates with ONI is underway with
completion expected early in June.

✓ (g) Project 35.2488

Construction and Import of Oleg Koshevoi Class
Tankers for the Caspian Fleet.

Responsible Analyst: [REDACTED] 25X1A9a

Due Date to St/PR: 15 May 1959

Draft of this report submitted on 25 May 1959.

✓ (h) Project 35.2499

Submarine Construction at Komsomol'sk

Responsible Analyst: [REDACTED] 25X1A9a

Due Date to St/PR: 1 January 1960

Work continues on this project.

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2. The Status of Support Projects worked on during the month is as follows:

(a) Project 10.2200

Soviet Capabilities 1959-64

Responsible Analyst: [REDACTED] coordinates Branch 25X1A9a Contribution.

Due Date: 1 July 1959

Preparation of Branch Contribution continues.

3. Changes in Estimates.

Recent developments in intelligence on Bloc Shipbuilding have not changed present estimates significantly.

4. Relationships with Other Components.

Nothing to report.

5. Future Plans.

Nothing to report.

6. Other Problems and Recommendations.

None.

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